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Who's Gonna Stop The Rain

Words & Music by Evan Rogers & Carl Sturken

♩ = 88

Cm **Gm/B^b** **A^b maj⁷** **G⁷** **Cm** **Gm/B^b**

(Oh, oh, — la —

la. ———)

1. There is no rose with - out — a thorn,
(Verses 2 & 3 see block lyrics)

no rain with-out — the storm. — (Oh, oh, — la, — la. ———)

The musical score is written for guitar and piano. It features a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a 4/4 time signature. The tempo is marked as 88 beats per minute. The score is divided into three systems. Each system includes guitar chords (Cm, Gm/Bb, Abmaj7, G7) and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: (Oh, oh, — la — la. ———), 1. There is no rose with - out — a thorn, (Verses 2 & 3 see block lyrics), no rain with-out — the storm. — (Oh, oh, — la, — la. ———). The score includes a repeat sign and a first ending bracket.

Chord diagrams: Cm, Gm/B^b, A^bmaj7, G7, Cm, Gm/B^b.

There is no laugh-ter with - out tears, — no wis-dom with - out years. (Oh, oh, — la, —

Chord diagrams: F/A, G7, Cm7, B^b/D, E^b, C/E.

la. ———) In a world gone cra - zy, — torn be - tween the roads that we — must —

Chord diagrams: Fm7, E^b, Dm7(no5), B^b/D, Cm, Gm/B^b.

— choose, — win - or lose. — If ev - 'ry soul - should lose - it's way,

Chord diagrams: A^bmaj7, G7, A^b6, G7.

— if ev - 'ry face. should lose - it's name, — tell me who's gon - na stop the rain.

(Oh, oh, la, la. (Oh, oh, la, la.

1. To Coda 2. la. la. (Oh, oh, la, la. I say who's gon-na stop the rain, hey.

la. (Oh, oh, la, la. Hey, oh.

How ma - ny riv - ers must we cross be - fore we learn that the

Cm Cm/B $\flat$ F7

flood- is ris - ing high - er and the brid - ges all — have burst? —

Fm7 Fm7/E $\flat$ B $\flat$ /D G Cm/G G7

Each time a - no - ther dream - is washed in - to — the sea, — it's a -

A $\flat$ maj7 G Cm Gm/B $\flat$

-no-ther piece of you, — it's a - no-ther piece of me. —

A $\flat$ maj7 G7 Cm Gm/B $\flat$ A $\flat$ maj7 G7 D.%. al Coda

Oh. (Oh, yeah. oh, — la, — la. —)

⊕ *Coda*



Vocal ad lib.



Repeat ad lib. to fade

Verse 2:

Each day another boy and girl
Sets foot into this world
One reaches out to touch the sky
One never learns to fly
Where is it written in the stone
That any child should walk alone
Out on their own?
If no one tries to end this game
Or find a way to ease the pain
Tell me who's gonna stop the rain.

Verse 3:

Sure as the blood runs through your veins
Sure as the falling rain, oh yeah
We'll taste the tears of each defeat
The bitter and the sweet, oh yeah
As the days grow colder
Wonder if we'll ever see the sun
When Winter comes, yeah
If no-one stands to take the weight
If no-one answers to the blame
Tell me who's gonna stop the rain.